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**REQUEST FOR FILING
CONTINUATION/DIVISIONAL APPLICATION**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a request for filing a X continuation ___ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)(1), of pending prior application serial no. 09/691,954 filed on October 18, 2000, of Clifford Teoh and Michael P. Wallace for NON-OVERLAPPING SPHERICAL THREE-DIMENSIONAL COIL.

1. X Enclosed is an application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)(1). No new matter has been added.
2. ___ Applicant(s) claim(s) small entity status.
3. X The filing fee is calculated below:

A.	Basic Application Fee		\$750
B.	Total Claims 23 - 20 = 3	x \$18	54
C.	Independent Claims 1 - 3 = 0	x \$84	0
D.	If multiple claims present, add	\$280	0
E.	Total Application Fee (Total of A, B, C & D)	=	<u>804</u>
F.	If small entity status is claimed, reduce Total Application Fee by 50%		<u>0</u>
G.	Total Fee Due (E - F)	=	804

4. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.
5. X A check to cover the \$804 application fee is attached.

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6. ☐ Cancel in this application original claims ☐ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
7. ☒ The inventor(s) of the invention being claimed in this application is (are): Clifford Teoh and Michael P. Wallace.
8. ☐ This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)(1), the Commissioner is requested to delete the name(s) of the following person or persons who are not inventors of the invention being claimed in this application: _____.
9. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before line 3 therefor:

Cross-Reference to Related Application

This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/691,954, filed October 18, 2000, from which application priority is claimed pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120, and which application is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

10. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to Scimed Life Systems, Inc.
11. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
12. ☒ Also enclosed: Blanket Petition for Extension of Time and Authorization to Charge or Credit Deposit Account, Limited Authorization to Act on Behalf of Assignee Regarding Certain Patent Matters Effective Through: December 31, 2003, Information Disclosure Statement, and return receipt postcard.
13. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to Dahna S. Pasternak, Reg. No. 41,411, Roberta L. Robins, Reg. No. 33,208, Albert K. Kau, Reg. No. 40,672.
- a. ☒ The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- b. ☐ Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- c. ☐ Recognize the following individuals as Associate Attorneys: _____.

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